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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows before examination of  
the claims.

In the Claims

Please insert new claims 17 to 20.

17. (New) A polyurethane film comprising a coagulated aqueous  
polyurethane dispersion, said dispersion being prepared by a process comprising:

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admixing a polyisocyanate and a low monol polyether polyol to form a  
polyurethane prepolymer having an average functionality of less than about 2.1, said  
low monol polyether polyol having a molecular weight of at least 3000 Daltons and a  
measured unsaturation of less than about 0.025 meq/g;